sold his property and will move

Miss Pearl Shannon this week pur-

chased the property of Mr. Farris on

West Main street which is occupied

Misses Reva and Willa Horne of

Bonne Terre and Miss Dora Bayless

of Desloge were the guests of Miss

PRIMROSE

Josh Cash, Edwin and Jake Mur-

Adelbert Pratte was a visitor

Mrs. Alice Moon was shopping in

Lee Snyder made a trip to Bonne

Miss Rose Hoelzel and brother, El-

mer, of Melzo were Bonne Terre vis-

Finton Roberts transacted business

Dan Pettes made a trip to Bonn

Mrs. C. F. Meyer was shopping in

Charley Lawson was a Bonne Terre

Wm. Snyder transacted business in

The recent sleet has done considera-

ble damage to the farmers in this vic-

inity. Timber is greatly broken down

causing lots of wire fences to be dam-

Samuel Jones was a Bonne Terre

Henry Lawson spent the fore part

of last week in Bonne Terre with

Owing to the steady fall of rain

Vetal Pratte and Samuel Jones

C. C. Rane was in Bonne Terre one

CHESTNUT RIDGE AND ROUTE 3

Bonne Terre one day last week.

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itors last Wednesday.

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:: COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE ::

BISMARCK

Dr. Eaton was an Ironton visitor Monday.

R. Jaeschke visited Potosi Monday

W. C. Robinson of Farmington was a visitor here Sunday.

Rev. Crowe of Farmington preached to a large audience here Sunday

All progressive farmers should attend the farmers' meetings here Feb.

M. J. Eidson of St. Louis is home this week.

O. W. Ramsey visited DeSoto Friday.

W. H. Smollinger of Iron Mountain visited in Farmington Sunday and Monday

A. P. Mackley of Desloge was a business visitor here Saturday.

Thos. Fitz, the veteran soldiernewspaper correspondent and travel- to again be at his work at the Doe ing man was visiting here this week. Run Mill.

Mrs. Hugh Long of Bellevue visited friends here Sunday. Miss Sidney Smollinger of Iron

Mountain visited friends here Thurs-

Louis visited the family of Judge C. Frank DeGuire returned here Thurs-

J. R. Thompson visited St. Louis Thursday.

Mrs. Wiley O'Neal of Irondale vis ited friends here the past week. Miss Lottie Wright has returned

to her home at Mine La Motte.

Albert Scheheing and family are preparing to move to Mine La Motte.

W. G. Dent of Caledonia was here Thursday looking over the proposed automobile routes from here to Cal-

Mrs. Rebecca Jane West, aged 80 years, passed away Thursday. The funeral was held at the Baptist church Friday, Rev. M. T. Webb officiating.

The sale of the personal effects of W. G. Eversole was postponed Saturday on account of the excessive rains.

John H. Harrol, "Grandpa" Bisplinghoff, Roy Wilson, Mrs. T. D. Snoden, Mrs. Cutchings and Mrs. Wm. Matkin are reported on the sick list this week.

Sam Agnew is building an addition

Much bottom lands was injured and many fences washed away by the

high waters Sunday. Bert Schotten is clearing considerable lands on his farm and otherwise

making improvements. Through trains on the Main line and Belmont Branch will not be run- death of his father-in-lay, Tom Ross, ning until the last of this week. Service now from Piedmont and Corn- 31st, at 9:30: wall to St. Louis only. At no time of high water has any greater damage Monday here with his grandmother, been done to public service corpora- Mrs. Mary Robinson. tions than has the storm caused the past week. The Western Union Tele. Flat River with her daughter, Mrs. graph Co., Bell Telephone Co., are al- Ira Black. so out of commission at this time.

daughter, Mrs. Geo. McKinney.

day in Farmington.

Cecil Maurer was a Flat River visitor Thursday.

day here with friends.

Ira Black.

home with his niece, Mrs. Walter McGuire, of this city.

residence and lot on Second street Thursday to Mrs. N. Brown.

Mrs. A. W. Choot, aged 29 years, died of pneumonia at her home here Tuesday night at 9 o'clock, just three days after giving birth to a little daughter. Besides the little one, she is survived by her husband and four H. E. Walters and daughters of St. other children. Mrs. Choat was an exceptionally large woman, having weighed in the neighborhood of 325 pounds. The burial casket was so day and resumed charge of the Mill- large that it was impossible to get it in the house and had to be left out-Peter Strothers is on the sick list side and the remains placed in it just prior to the time of the funeral. In-Mr. and Mrs. Nelson of St. Louis terment was made at her former were here Saturday last enroute to home town, Fredericktown. We join from Mountain to visit the friends of the community in extending condo-lence to the bereaved family and relatives.

> T. J. Buckner, manager of the Miners Lumber Co., recently purchased from Walter Sutherland of Bismarck a fine horse which he will use at his place of business.

P. W. Keay of Silver Springs spent Saturday here with friends.

Cecil Dovia and Vernon Beard spent the latter part of the week in Bismarck with Mr. and Mrs. Sam

Mr. Louis Maurer of Flat River visited John Maurer and family Sun-

Miss Beulah Maurer was a business visitor in Desloge Monday.

J. N. Shannon returned Saturday from St. Louis.

Miss Iva Ball of Flat River was an Elvins visitor Saturday. Miss Lourine Degrant visited in

Flat River Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Afton Degrant Flat River visited Mr. and Mrs. John

Degrant Sunday. Mr. Frank Marchand of Bonne Terre visited at the home of John Maurer Sunday.

Miss Julia McFarland is on the sick list this week. Mr. Blondie Herron of Flat River

has moved to the Delcour Hotel. W. J. Marshall of Bonne Terre was called to Elvins Monday owing to the who died suddenly Monday, January

Carl LaChance of Leadwood spent

Mrs. Wm. Smith spent Monday in

Mr. John Faulkner, it is reported,

Miss Annie Moon was a guest a the home of Willis Moon Monday.

ELVINS

Rev. Norton of Leadwood spent a few days here this week with his

Mrs. Wm. Heitman spent Wednes

Mrs. Roy Horton spent Wednesday

Frank Rolens of Esther spent Thurs-

Mrs. Jane Smith spent the past week with her grand daughter, Mrs.

D. H. Sherrill sold his household atives recently. goods Saturday and will make his

D. H. Sherrill sold his four-room

Wm. Smith, who has been ill is able

Miss Lorene Crader, who spent the past year in Doe Run with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Crader, and has spent the last five weeks in Flat River, returned to Farmington Saturday evening, intending to come Farmington at her uncle's, Geo. Her- at least 100 are desired. zog. She will come home in a few days, for about two weeks' stay. Misses Leona Burgess and Elsie

Silvey spent one night recently with Virginia and Ruth Silvey. Miss Lena Silvey is visiting her

aunt, Mrs. Daisy Gideon, of Flat Riv-Mr. Delno Silvey of this Route re-

turned to Flat River last Sunday, where he has been employed for the the local farmers' clubs has been Miss Beulah Burgess, who is at-

tending Farmington High School, was not able to get home Sunday on account of the rain. Mr. Wm. Feezor, who has had an

attack of the grip, is improving fast.

DESLOGE

John Ward was a St. Louis visitor Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Alice Vilyard returned to Desloge this week after a visit with relatives at Jackson.

D. J. G. Turley was a St. Louis visitor this week

turned home Friday after a business trip to Louisiana. Miss Irene Hise was the winner of

the \$300.00 in the Desloge Sun con-

Word was received in Desloge Tuesday of the death of W. C. Eaves. He formerly resided here, and has many friends here who were pained to hear of his death.

Mrs. R. S. Kahn was a St. Louis visitor the latter part of last week. Miss Leah Giessing, who is attending school at the Lindenwood College at St. Charles, Mo., is visiting her

parents this week. W. K. Poston of Bonne Terre was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Ed Iahn was a Flat River visitor

The Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will have an allday meeting at the church next Thurs-

Mrs. Julia Mosteller, who has been making her home here with her sister. has moved to Bonne Terre.

Co-operative Extension Work in Agriculture and Home Economics

College of Agriculture, University of Missouri, U. S. Department of Agriculture, St. Francois County Court, and St. Francois County Farm Bureau, Co-

FARM BUREAU OFFICERS

phy of near Big River attended pray-W. H. Smollinger......President er meeting at the T. M. B. Church W. E. Matkin, ... First Vice President C. B. Denman, Second Vice President Myrtle Jackson,.....Secretary

> Delegates at Large Chas. Belken Walter Weimer Robert Sellors J. F. Hinze W. D. Ashburn

> > Farm Bureau Meeting

Despite the high water and continual fall of rain on Saturday, a good many responded to the request of the County Agent for a meeting of the officers of the Farm Bureau. Mr. Smollinger, president of the Farm Bureau since its birth, and who prides himself upon never having missed a meeting of the Bureau, was present and presided.

Details for the administration of the Short Courses and County Mass Meeting were pretty well worked out. The County Agent reported the program in full and requested the advice of the Farm Bureau as to the feasibility of holding a banquet on the 25th. It was the sense of the men present that a banquet should be held in honor of the speakers who have so willingly agreed to be present. A committee was appointed to look after a banquet and secure the co-operation of the Farmington Commercial Club if possible. The committee appointed by the Chairman was as follows: M. P. for the last few days, the river and Cayce, Chairman, Will Matkin and Chas. Schuttler.

other water courses have become ex-Some little time was devoted to a consideration of the various subjects have employment in Bonne Terre at that the Short Course speakers would discuss. Several suggestions were made and these will be incorporated Leonard Lawson spent one night in Bonne Terre with friends and rel- in the program which appears in this issue.

The Corn project which was briefly outlined in these columns last week was submitted to the Bureau and met with their approval. A committee was appointed to look after the preliminary work and to be a part of the permanent corn committee. Mr. J. W. Buck and Will Ashburn were appointed by the chairman on this committee to serve with the County Agent. This committee will begin at once to secure the Class A Demonstraout home with her father, but on ac- tors of which there will be eight, and count of the rain stayed over at the Class B. Co-operators for which

The program will be in the form of a pamphlet of 32 to 40 pages and considerable space will be reserved for advertising. At least 1000 copies of this program will be distributed, and anyone desiring space in these pages would do well to notify the County Agent not later than the 8th.

Local Farmers Club Meetings The schedule for the meetings of worked out in full for 1916 and will appear in these columns throughout the year. For the meetings during February an illustrated lecture will be given on "Prevention of Soil Washing." This is a very important subject and one which the County Agent has some very valuable information. During the month of April an illustrated lecture on soil manage ment will be given. It is probable that some sort of an illustrated lecture will be given during March. To those clubs which are located on a rock road, the County Agent desires to announce that he will be present at those points according to the schedule. Those clubs, however, which are C. S. Bryan and A. P. Mackley re- not on rock roads will not have this assurance. The condition of the roads makes it very uncertain as to the possibility of getting to those meetings during the next two or three months.

The following is the program as arranged for the Farmers Short Courses at the different places:

Farmington-Monday 9 o'clock, Swine Feeding and Manage

ment, Prof. S. T. Simpson. 10:30, Teachings of Demonstration

Work in Corn and Wheat Growing, Prof. P. S. Barker. o'clock, the Management of the Pure-Bred Herd of Beef Cattle,

Prof. S. T. Simpson. 3 o'clock, Tillage, Pasture Management, Prof. P. B. Barker.

Tuesday 9 o'clock, Insects Injurious to Farm Crops, Prof. Thos. J. Talbert. 10 o'clock, Sprays and Spray Mix tures, Prof. F. W. Faurrot.

Thos, J. Talbert. I o'clock. The afternoon will be devot ed to Demonstration Work in prun

11 o'clock, Animal and Poultry Pests

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Farm Adviser

ing and spraying out in the orchard Profs. F. W. Faurrot and T. J. Tal-

Wednesday 90'clock, Adjusting the Balance Be tween Live Stock and Grain Farm-M. P. CayceTreasurer ing, Prof. L. F. Childers.

10:30, Farm Drainage, Prof. M. A. Kelley. o'clock, Soybeans and Other Le-

gumes, Prof. L. F. Childers. 3 o'clock, the Efficient Use of Farm Machinery, Prof. M. A. Kelley. Thursday

9 o'clock, the Various Breeds of Dairy Cows and their Adaptabilities, Prof. J. G. Watson.

10:30, Silo Types and Construction, L. F. Gilmore, County Agent, Marion County.

1 o'clock, the Future of the Dairy Business, Prof. J. G. Watson. 3 o'clock, Crops for and the Filling of the Silo, I. F. Gilmore.

Libertyville-Monday 9 o'clock, the Various Breeds of Dairy

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tures, Prof. F. W. Faurrot. 11 o'clock, Animal and Poultry Pests, Thos. J. Talbert.

o'clock. The afternoon will be devoted to demonstration work in pruning and spraying out in the orchard. Profs. F. W. Faurrot and T. J. Talbert.

Thursday to Green Manuring, Prof. L. F. Childers.

10:30, Farm Drainage, Prof. M. A. Kelley. o'clock, Fertilizers, Prof. L. F.

o'clock, the Efficient Use of Farm Machinery, Prof. M. A. Kelley. Hazel Run-Monday

9 o'clock, Fertilizers and Fertilizing,

Childers.

Prof. L. F. Childers. 10:30, Farm Drainage, Prof. M. A. 1 o'clock, Legumes in their Relation day.

to Crop Rotation, Prof. L. F. Chi o'clock, the Efficient Use of Farn Machinery, Prof. M. A. Kelley.

Tue8day 9 o'clock, the Dairy Cow as a Machine, Prof. J. G. Watson. 10:30, Silo Types and Construction,

I. F. Gilmore. o'clock, Dairy Cow Management, Prof. J. G. Watson. 3 o'clock, Crops for the Filling of the

Silo, I. F. Gilmore. Wednesday 9 o'clock, Feeding Farm Animals, Prof. S. T. Simpson.

10:30, Corn and Wheat Growing, Prof. P. B. Barker. o'clock, the Value of Live Stock to the Farm Management Plan, Prof. S. T. Simpson.

3 o'clock, Tillage and Pasture Management, Prof. P. B. Barker.

Thursday 9 o'clock, Insects Injurious to Farm Crops, Prof. Thos. J. Talbert. 10 o'clock, Sprays and Spray Mix-

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tures, Prof. F. W. Faurrot.

voted to demonstration work in pruning and spraying out in the orchard. Profs. F. W. Faurrot and T. J. Talbert.

Bismarck-Monday 9 o'clock, Insects Injurious to Farm

Crops, Prof. Thos. J. Talbert. 10 o'clock, Sprays and Spray Mixtures, Prof. F. W. Faurrot. 11 o'clock, Animal and Poultry Pests, Prof. Thos. J. Talbert.

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County Mass Meeting Friday, Feb. 25, 1916-Program Address of Welcome-J. P. Cayce. Response-W. H. Smollinger, Pres. of

Farm Bureau. 9 o'clock, Some Phases of Rural Credits, S. D. Gromer, Professor of Rural Economics, University of Mo. 10 o'clock, Dairying and Prosperity,

W. W. Marple, Chicago, Ill. 11:30,Address, D. C. Welty, Commissioner of Agri. of I. M. & S. Ry. 1 o'clock, Address, Wm. Hirth, Editor

of Missouri Farmer. 2 o'clock, The County Farm Bureau, Sam Jordon, State Board of Agriculture.

3:30, Enrollment of Members. 4 o'clock, Address, Dr. J. C. Whitten, Professor of Horticulture, University of Missouri. 5:30 to 8 o'clock, Banquet.

8 o'clock, Address, Representative of

the St. Louis Business Men's League

8:30, Illustrated Lecture of Missouri, J. Kelly Wright, State Board of Agriculture. In arranging these programs, the Farm Bureau has been confronted with many difficulties. There are many diversified agricultural interests in this county. An earnest endeavor has been made to provide features of in-

terest to individual taste. An endeavor has been made to provide features that would appeal to all. The Farm Bureau presents this program for the approval of the people of this county. They believe that they have secured the services of the best group of agricultural experts that this county has ever had in their midst. We believe the program will be instruc-9 o'clock, Legumes in their Relation tive, valuable and entertaining. We offer it to the people of this county in the belief that they will show their

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appreciation. We desire their pres-

ence and their hearty and loyal co-

Miss Sally Semar visited her parents in Flat River Saturday and Sun-

Mr. Lee Hammock of Flat River visited at the home of W. H. Bunt Sun-Mrs. Bessie Saffell and daughter of DeSoto visited at the home of Mr.

and Mrs. S. P. Cole Monday and Tues-Mr. Clyde McClain visited his sisters at Bonne Terre Saturday and

Sunday.

Mr. Charley Collins is very ill at this writing. Mrs. C. R. McClain and son, Carl, visited at the home of James Bunt

Mr. Henry Nicholls visited at the home, of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Burns Sunday and Monday. Mrs. Will Holmes is reported very ill with pneumonia.

Saturday and Sunday.

THE LOCAL MARKET

Wheat, per bushel.....\$1.30

Flour, per 100 lbs.....\$3.50 to 3.90

Bran, per 100 pounds..... 1.30 Mixed Feed, per 100 lbs..... 1.35 Ship Stuff, per 100 lbs..... 1.55 Meal, per bushel \$1.00 Irish Potatoes, per bushel 1.10 Sweet Potatoes, per bushel.... 1.00 Butter, per lb 20 and .25 Apples, per bushel60 to .75 New Sorghum, per gallon60 Hay, per ton......\$10 to 12.00 Hogs, on foot, per lb06 Ducks, per lb Chickent, young, 2 lbs and under Hens, per lb 12 Cattle, on foot, per 10 Veal calves, per Ib ... 06 and Ham, smoked 16c to .18 Beeswax, per lb

N. R.D.